



# PARKER POND

T 3 R 5 BKP WKR, Somerset County  
U.S.G.S. King and Bartlett Lake, Maine (7½')

## Fishes

Brook trout  
Minnows  
Lake chub  
Blacknose dace

Finescale dace  
Creek chub  
White sucker  
Pumpkinseed sunfish

## Physical Characteristics

Area - 80 acres

Maximum depth - 6 feet

Principal fishery: Brook trout

Temperatures:

Surface - 71°F  
6 feet - 70°F

Parker Pond is located north of Pray Hill. A small inlet enters the north side of the pond and its outlet flows west into Spencer Stream. The pond's shoreline is undeveloped.

Water quality in Parker Pond is marginal for coldwater gamefish. Water temperatures reach critically high levels at all depths during the warm summer months. Despite this, a population of wild brook trout survives and produces a limited fishery. The pond is not stocked. Trout growth is poor with many other fish species competing for food and space.

Parker Pond is accessible via a series of logging roads off the King and Bartlett Road. The pond is open under general law in the summer and closed to ice fishing.

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